

MATH 1B MIDTERM 1 (002)
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CALCULATORS ARE NOT PERMITTED

**THIS EXAM WILL BE ELECTRONICALLY
SCANNED. MAKE SURE YOU WRITE ALL
SOLUTIONS IN THE SPACES PROVIDED.
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BLANK PAGE AT THE BACK BUT BE
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Formulae

$$\begin{array}{ll} \int \tan(x) dx = \ln |\sec(x)| + C & \int \sec(x) dx = \ln |\sec(x) + \tan(x)| + C \\ \int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \arctan(x) + C & \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \arcsin(x) + C \\ \frac{d \tan(x)}{dx} = \sec^2(x) & \frac{d \sec(x)}{dx} = \tan(x) \sec(x) \\ 1 = \sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) & 1 + \tan^2(x) = \sec^2(x) \\ \cos^2(x) = \frac{1 + \cos(2x)}{2} & \sin^2(x) = \frac{1 - \cos(2x)}{2} \\ |E_{T_n}| \leq \frac{K(b-a)^3}{12n^2} & |E_{S_n}| \leq \frac{K(b-a)^5}{180n^4} \end{array}$$

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This exam consists of 5 questions. Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

1. Compute the following integrals:

(a) (10 points)

$$\int x \sin(x) dx$$

Solution:

$$\int x \sin(x) dx = -x \cos(x) + \int \cos(x) dx = -x \cos(x) + \sin(x) + C$$

(b) (15 points)

$$\int \frac{\sqrt{x^2-1}}{x^4} dx$$

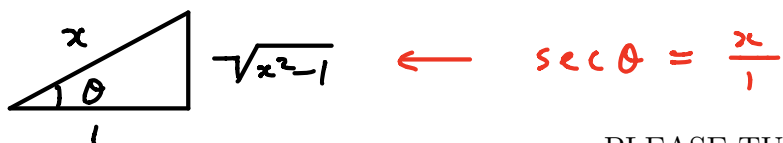
Solution:

$$x = \sec \theta \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{d\theta} = \tan \theta \sec \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{\sqrt{x^2-1}}{x^4} dx = \int \frac{\tan \theta}{\sec^4 \theta} \tan \theta \sec \theta d\theta = \int \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta d\theta$$

$$u = \sin \theta \Rightarrow \frac{du}{d\theta} = \cos \theta \Rightarrow d\theta = \frac{du}{\cos \theta} \Rightarrow \int \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta d\theta = \int u^2 du$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} u^3 + C = \frac{1}{3} (\sin \theta)^3 + C = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{\sqrt{x^2-1}}{x} \right)^3 + C$$



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2. (a) (15 points) Express the following rational function

$$\frac{3x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1}{x^4 + x^2}$$

as a sum of partial fractions.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{3x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1}{x^4 + x^2} &= \frac{3x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1}{x^2(x^2 + 1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x^2} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 + 1} \\ &= \frac{Ax(x^2 + 1) + B(x^2 + 1) + (Cx + D)x^2}{x^4 + x^2} \\ &= \frac{(A + C)x^3 + (B + D)x^2 + Ax + B}{x^4 + x^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} A + C &= 3 \\ B + D &= 2 \\ A &= 1 \\ B &= 1 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} C &= 2 \\ D &= 1 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{3x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1}{x^4 + x^2} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{2x + 1}{x^2 + 1}$$

- (b) (10 points) Hence evaluate the integral

$$\int \frac{3x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1}{x^4 + x^2} dx$$

Solution:

$$\int \frac{3x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 1}{x^4 + x^2} dx = \ln|x| - \frac{1}{x} + \ln|x^2 + 1| + \arctan(x) + C$$

3. (25 points) Find the arc length of the curve

$$y = \frac{x^2}{4} - \ln(\sqrt{x})$$

between $x = 1$ and $x = 2$.

Solution:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2}{4} - \ln(\sqrt{x}) = \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + f'(x)^2 = \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{2} + \left(\frac{1}{2x}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2x}\right)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \text{Arc Length} &= \int_1^2 \frac{x}{2} + \frac{1}{2x} dx = \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \ln|x| \Big|_1^2 \\ &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \ln(2)\right) - \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \\ &= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \ln(2) \end{aligned}$$

4. Determine if the following improper integrals are convergent or divergent. Justify your answers.

(a) (10 points)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{-1} \frac{\sin(x^2) + 2}{x^2} dx$$

Solution:

$$0 \leq \sin(x^2) + 2 \leq 3 \Rightarrow 0 \leq \frac{\sin(x^2) + 2}{x^2} \leq \frac{3}{x^2} \text{ on } (-\infty, -1]$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{-1} \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \int_t^{-1} \frac{1}{x^2} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} \left. \frac{-1}{x} \right|_t^{-1}$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow -\infty} 1 + \frac{1}{t} = 1$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{-1} \frac{1}{x^2} dx \quad \underline{\text{conv}} \Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{-1} \frac{\sin(x^2) + 2}{x^2} dx \quad \underline{\text{conv}}$$

(b) (15 points)

$$\int_0^1 \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^2} dx$$

$$u = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{-1}{x^2} \Rightarrow dx = -x^2 du$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^2} dx = \int -\cos(u) du = -\sin(u) + C = -\sin(1/x) + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^1 \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^2} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} \int_t^1 \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^2} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} \left. -\sin(1/x) \right|_t^1$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} \sin(1/t) - \sin(1) \quad \text{DNE}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^1 \frac{\cos(1/x)}{x^2} dx \quad \text{Divergent}$$

5. (25 points) For n a positive integer, let T_n be the trapezoidal approximation of the definite integral

$$\int_{-1}^1 x^4 - 6x^2 + x + \frac{23}{10} dx.$$

Is it possible that $T_{100} = 0.99$? Carefully justify your answer. Hint: What is the exact value of the integral?

Solution:

$$f(x) = x^4 - 6x^2 + x + \frac{23}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = 4x^3 - 12x + 1 \Rightarrow f''(x) = 12x^2 - 12$$

$$|f''(x)| = |12x^2 - 12| \leq 12|x|^2 + 12 \leq 24 \quad \text{on } [-1, 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow |E_{T_{100}}| \leq \frac{24 \cdot 2^3}{12 \cdot 100^2} = \frac{2^4}{100^2} = 0.0016$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-1}^1 x^4 - 6x^2 + x + \frac{23}{10} dx &= \frac{x^5}{5} - 2x^3 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{23}{10}x \Big|_{-1}^1 \\ &= \frac{2}{5} - 4 + \frac{23}{5} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$T_{100} = 0.99 \Rightarrow |E_{T_{100}}| = 0.01 \not\leq 0.0016$$

$$\Rightarrow T_{100} \neq 0.99$$

